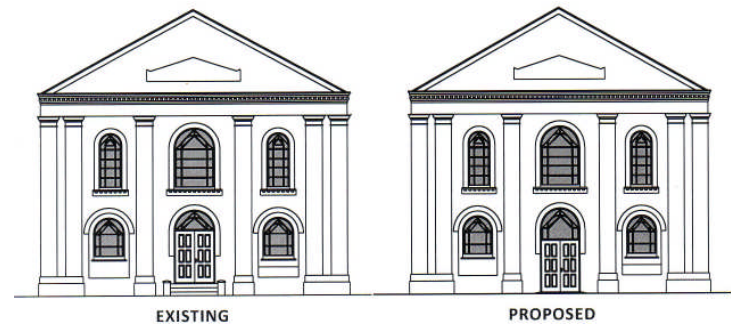


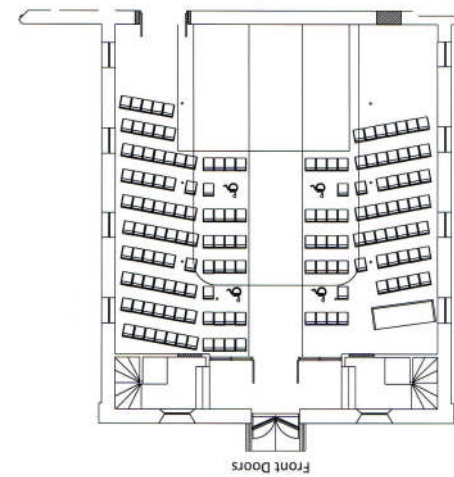
Dereham Baptist Church

Redevelopment 2011



EXISTING

PROPOSED



The church made a decision to go ahead with the refurbishment of the interior of the chapel area in October 2008. This includes removing the pews and levelling the floor to provide a more flexible attractive space that can be used for a variety of activities. Since then, there have been delays in obtaining Listed Building consent and having our concerns satisfactorily answered. These necessary permissions have now been granted and we are now want to proceed with the refurbishment as soon as possible.

The estimated costs are £478k. We already have in our Building Fund £256k, restricted for the redevelopment of the church, a further £61k one-off gifts and loans have been pledged. We are applying for loans from Baptist Union sources of £100k which will need to be repaid over the next 10 years. This means there is a £61k shortfall. However, once this loan has been approved, we have sufficient funds in hand to go for tender and proceed with the scheme.

We do appreciate all the gifts that have been received to date. However, because of the time delays, we need to confirm your pledges are still current. Therefore, even if you completed one of these forms a couple of years ago, please complete a new form (which will supersede your previous form)

If you have not previously completed a form and are able to give towards this refurbishment we would encourage you to do so. All gifts, however small, are valued.

On Sunday May 8th we will be celebrating our Church Anniversary. As part of the Sunday Morning Service we will create an opportunity to offer these pledges to God as part of our worship. So, if you are able, please bring this completed pledge form on May 8th or alternatively send it via the Church Office

Please continue to commit the whole scheme to God in prayer.

The Leadership April 2011

Building Fund Redevelopment Scheme (May 2011 Pledge form)

REGULAR GIVING

I am able to give £ _____ per month

This is a continuation of current giving/ new pledge (delete as applicable)

Date this will commence _____

I expect this to continue for _____ yrs unless my circumstances change

I am unable to give regularly _____

ONE-OFF GIFTS

I am able to make a one-off gift of £ _____

Approximate date this will be made _____

I am unable to make a one-off gift at present _____

LOANS

I am able to make an interest free loan of £ _____

GIFT AID

I am a taxpayer and tax can be reclaimed on all my giving _____

Please use my existing Gift Aid form for these donations _____

I require a Gift Aid form _____

I am not a tax payer _____

(If tax is to be reclaimed on part only, please let us know)

ADVICE

I would like the opportunity to discuss this further in confidence

Name: _____

Address: _____

Signed: _____ Dated: _____